

PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 06478.1478-01

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
Bernhard NIESWANDT	) Group Art Unit: 1644
Serial No.: 10/702,039	) Examiner: Maher M. Haddad
Filed: November 6, 2003	) Confirmation No.: 7427
For: MEDICAMENT FOR THE PROTECTION AGAINST THROMBOTIC DISEASES	) ) )
Commissioner for Patents	

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Applicant now replies to the Office Action mailed November 17, 2004, the period for response having been extended to May 17, 2005, by a request for extension of 3 months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are included in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.

Attachments to this amendment include a Deposit Declaration.